

THURLOW WEED ON MRS. LINCOLN. An interesting explanation and a bitter rebuke. [Mr. Thurlow Weed writes in the New York Commercial Advertiser as follows, under the head of "Outrageous Menace," which will be read with great interest in connection with the certain developments concerning Mrs. Lincoln's wardrobe. It will be seen that Mr. Weed confirms our statements of yesterday.—EDITOR EVENING TELEGRAPH.]

We have never approached a question with half the sorrow that this one awakens. To vindicate, shield, and protect "Heaven's best gift to man" is a matter that may involve to even a poor man, and much more to assail a woman, is painful and, if without a perfect justification, unmanly.

If the American Congress or the American people have failed to meet the pecuniary expectations of Mr. Lincoln's widow, it is because his death, to the extent of the respect of confidence, they should not, therefore, be subjected to the reproach, or rest under the imputation, of ingratitude. While Mr. Lincoln, while in power, borne herself becomingly, the suggestion of a Lincoln fund, by voluntary contributions, would have been promptly responded to. The national heart was warmed, it gushed out in liberal endowments for Grant and Farragut. It would as cheerfully have met the appeal in favor of Mrs. Lincoln, if it had not intuitively recoiled and chilled.

In her conversations Mrs. Lincoln is represented as bitterly denouncing Secretary Seward, for which, of course, there is no warrant or excuse. For wrongs no man, and much less is he incapable of injustice, wrong, or even unkindness, to woman.

But we happen to know—the late Caleb B. Smith, then Secretary of the Interior, being our informant—a fact which incensed Mrs. Lincoln against Mr. Seward. The President gave the Prince Napoleon, the same number of guests, and giving them a duplicate of the dinner at the White House. In fact, Mr. Seward ordered both dinners from the same restaurant, and the same wine, knew the cost of each. For what Mr. Seward paid \$300, Mrs. Lincoln demanded \$600. But whether three or nine hundred, the claim was alike illegal and could not be paid. For this, however, Mrs. Lincoln quarrelled with Secretaries Smith and Seward. This amount, however, was subsequently covered up in a gardener's account, but occasioned scandal, which respect for Mr. Lincoln measurably suppressed.

Though Mr. Lincoln left an estate which enabled his family to live comfortably as they had ever lived, Congress and the people would have promptly and cheerfully provided munificently for them. Mrs. Lincoln, however, with every advantage that high position gave her, had made friends or inspired respect. And this last exhibition proves how instinctively right the popular estimate of her character was.

The fact for which Mrs. Lincoln seeks large publicity, namely, that she received presents valued at \$24,000, is a pregnant and suggestive one—suggestive at least, of office and contracts, unless the more charitable construction is reached through the assumption that they were expressions of regard and friendship. But it is not known that the wife of any other President, however estimable, was so loaded with shawls, laces, furs, diamonds, rings, etc.

Mrs. Lincoln's proposals for shawls were manifested early, and before any necessity was foreseen. If our information is reliable, eleven of Mr. Lincoln's new linen shirts were sold almost before they were made, and were shrouded in the twelfth, had started for "bourne from whence no traveller returns."

Individually, we are obliged to Mrs. Lincoln for an expression of her feelings. It is pleasant to remember that we were always out of favor in that quarter. And it is equally pleasant to remember that she possessed the friendship and confidence of Mr. Lincoln to the last hour of his life, without paying court, as others did, to Mrs. Lincoln, and in spite of her constant efforts to disturb our relations.

This mortifying revelation will go abroad, and, as is natural, the press of Europe will make the most of it, in depicting the ingratitude of our Government, and the want of liberality in the American people. This consideration alone constrains us to discharge the unpleasant duty of showing that neither the Government nor the people are justly obnoxious to these accusations.

Yield of Gold and Silver. We learn from a new English volume on mining that in 1865 the principal mineral producing countries of the world yielded 259,567 pounds of gold and four million pounds of silver. Of gold, California and the adjoining silver districts produced 210,000 pounds; Australia and New Zealand, 191,000; Russia, 63,000; South America, 34,000; Southern Asia, 25,000; Mexico produced 1,700,000 pounds; the United States, 1,000,000; Peru and Chili, 568,000; and the rest of Europe, including the British Isles, 526,000.

Having Specified.—A communication in the Pall Mall Gazette, from "A Lady of Certain Age," describes a new dodge for getting timid women to buy "specimens," for effecting nothing, at an enormous cost. The lady went, according to her own account, to a fashionable hairdresser's at a fashionable watering place. While her hair was being combed or cut, the young man in attendance started, asked her if she was aware her hair would be quite grey in three months, applied a magnifying glass, and assured her again that such would be inevitably the result; but, he added kindly, that an immediate application of one of his specimens—specific No. 2—would arrest and prevent this disaster, specific No. 2 costing from 7s. 6d. to a guinea a bottle. While she was still there a very young lady came in. A "still taller and more dignified person" was appointed to operate upon her hair—and nerves—and she was threatened with speedy baldness if she did not apply specific No. 1, price a guinea. In another fashionable hairdresser's shop of the same town, to which, after this experience, our heroine went from laudable curiosity, she and a friend were threatened with precisely similar results—magnifying glasses being, as before, applied to their hair, and pseudo-scientific nonsense talked about it by the young men. The lady adds that these hairdressers' attendants get a fourth of the price of whatever cosmetics of the kind they sell.

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Obituary. Elias Howe, Jr. Elias Howe, Jr. whose death occurred on Thursday, was universally known as the inventor of the sewing machine, or at least of the principle that first gave practical utility to that now indispensable piece of mechanism.

Cholera at St. Louis. General Sterling Price died recently in St. Louis of cholera, and the epidemic has been raging fearfully in that city of late. It is said, but the reports of the mortality have been suppressed. Upon this point the St. Louis Republic of Thursday last says:—

A friend of ours at Bloomington, Illinois, has sent us a slip from the Post-Graphic, of that city, which represents the cholera as raging fearfully at St. Louis. Stories of this kind are set afloat in order to prevent persons from coming here to the Fair. It is true there were some cholera here during a portion of last month, but the ravages of the disease have been almost entirely suppressed, as is the case, nothing like the severity reported having been experienced during a day or two of the cases were quite numerous during the hot weather, but since the change in the atmosphere, the mortality from that cause has ceased almost quite altogether. It is true, however, that the cholera has not yet entirely disappeared. No danger need be apprehended by strangers visiting the city, and we are confident that the cholera will not next week by croakers in St. Louis or enemies outside.

A Chinese Ceremony. When the Great Republic left San Francisco for Japan and China (September 8), the city turned out largely to see her off. As she moved away from the wharf her guns started the whole city with a deep report. At this moment the Chinese, who crowded the wharf by thousands, dressed in their holiday attire, flung after the steamer into the Bay of San Francisco thousands on thousands of long slips of bright enamelled yellow and red paper, inscribed with prayers to unknown gods for the vessel that "the great depths of the sea should spare her and all on board, and gentle waves and propitious winds wait her swiftly to her haven in the Central Flowery Land."

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